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1. IN THE CONTINUING EXCHANGE BETWEEN GOVERNMENT AND

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OPPOSITION LEADERS CONCERNING THE RESPONSE TO THE U.S. ARMS

EMBARGO, PRIMIN DEMIREL RESPONDED ON AUGUST 9 TO THE CHARGE MADE BY REPUBLICAN PEOPLE'S PARTY CHAIRMAN ECEVIT (REFTEL) THAT "MANY INSTALLATIONS ARE CONTINUING TO FUNCTION WHEN THE AGREEMENTS ARE NONEXISTENT." CALLING ECEVIT'S CRITICISM "FULL OF INCONSISTENCIES, CONTRADICTIONS AND UNTRUTHS," DEMIREL SAID: "THE POINTS IN THE GOVERNMENT STATEMENT OF JULY 25, 1975 HAVE BEEN IMPLEMENTED. THAT IS, ALL THE COMMON DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS FUNCTIONING UNDER BILATERAL AGREEMENTS HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED." DEMIREL CHALLENGED ECEVIT "TO DO HIS DUTY" BY POINTING OUT "WHICH ARE THE INSTALLATIONS THAT SHOULD HAVE BEEN STOPPED ACCORDING TO THE GOVERNMENT DECISION BUT ARE STILL ACTIVE."

2. MEANWHILE, DEMOCRATIC PARTY LEADER BOZBEYLI, IN A PRESS STATEMENT PUBLISHED AUGUST 11, CRITICIZED THE GOVERNMENT'S PERFORMANCE AND ASKED WHAT WAS THE "LEGAL BASIS" FOR AMERICAN MILITARY REMAINING IN TURKEY SINCE ALL OPERATIONS HAD BEEN STOPPED.

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